GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has waived off/proposes to waive off transmission charges for electricity generation through renewable sources;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the status of developing green energy corridors in the country, State/UT-wise and the time frame fixed in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR POWER, COAL & NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a)&(b): As per the extant regulations issued by Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (CERC), Solar based generation projects commissioned up to 30.06.2017 shall not be charged any transmission charges and losses for the use of ISTS network for the useful life of the projects. However, these charges would be socialized among all Designated ISTS Customers (DICs). As far as wind based generation projects, transmission charges are being levied.

(c): The status of developing green energy corridors in the country, State/UT-wise is placed as Annexure.
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